

REMARKS

Claims 3-17 are currently amended. Claims 17-18 are canceled and rewritten as new Claims 19 and 20.

The claims have been amended to remove the multiple dependencies to improve readability and to place the application in better format for examination.

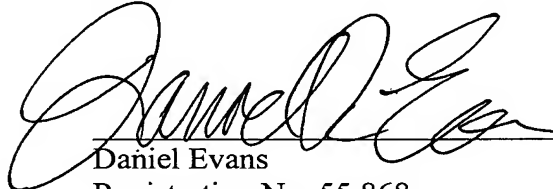
Support for the amendment is found in the originally filed claims and specification.

Upon entry of the amendment Claims 1-17, 19 and 20 will be active.

No new matter is believed to have been added. An action on the merits and allowance of the claims is earnestly requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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